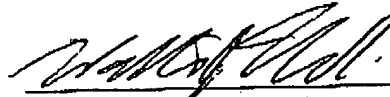


REMARKS

Claims 1-18, 33 and 34 have been canceled. Claims 19-32 are pending in the case. According to the Office Action mailed March 9, 2005 (hereinafter the "3/9/05 OA"), claims 19-32 are allowed. Claims 1-18, 33 and 34 are rejected. The applicant has canceled claims 1-18, 33 and 34 without prejudice to filing an application for the same claims, such as a continuation or a divisional application. The remaining claims are respectfully submitted to be in a condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration of this application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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